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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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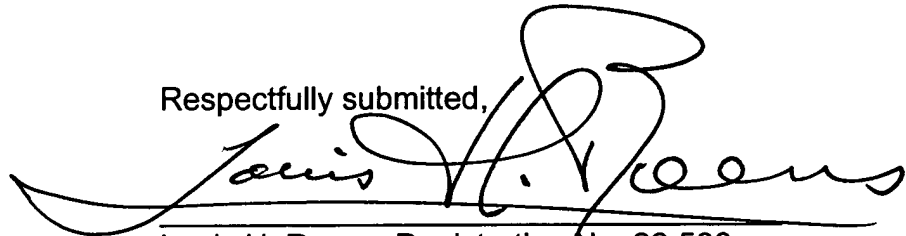
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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**Small Entity Assertion**

Dear Sir:

1. **Small Entity Statement.** Applicants claim Small Entity Status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Respectfully submitted,



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